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Credits, 6 days sight,	8/69
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On Paris—	
On demand,	4 08
Credit,	4 12

On demand,	328
On New York—	
On demand,	91
Credits, 60 days' sight, ...	80½
On Bombay—	
Wire,	220
On demand,	220½

Wife,	29
Old man,	29
In Sister's	
Old man,	72
3) Large, ... private,	75
Old man, 100	82.30
Old man,	89

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bringing her children back to America. The doctor then accompanied his wife to Italy to bring back his children. There he seized at night by hired Italians and thrust into a madhouse, put in a strait-jacket and there remained for eight months. His man-of-war returned to Brooklyn and declared that her husband was dead.

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body	Wife,	120		
was	On demand	220		
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and	On demand	75		
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On Genoa—	
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On demand	120
On Silver—	
On demand	72
31 days' sight, private,	73
Gold Leaf, 100 fine	\$32.30
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